

Amendments to the Claims

Please cancel claims: 5, 14 and 18.

Please amend claims 1, 11, and 15 as presented below.

The status of the claims in the present application, presented in numerical order:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) A wireless telephone, comprising:

on-board circuitry configured to enable a predetermined amount of calling time;

activation system access information wherein said activation system access information is comprised by at least one system-scannable code; and

telephone activation information wherein said telephone activation information is comprised by at least one system-scannable code;

activation system access information; and

telephone activation information embedded in said on-board circuitry,

wherein said on-board circuitry is configured for providing said

telephone activation information to said activation system in response

to said activation system being accessed using said activation system

access information, wherein once the wireless telephone is activated it

may be used to initiate and receive calls.

Claim 2. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 1 wherein:

said on-board circuitry includes memory; and

said memory is configured to enable the predetermined amount of calling time.

Claim 3. (Cancelled)

Claim 4. (Cancelled)

Claim 5. (Cancelled)

Claim 6. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 1, further comprising:
telephone activation information embedded in said on-board circuitry;
wherein said on-board circuitry is configured for providing said telephone activation information to said activation system in response to said activation system being accessed using the wireless telephone;
wherein said on-board circuitry includes memory; and
wherein said memory is configured to enable the predetermined amount of calling time.

Claim 7. (Cancelled)

Claim 8. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 1 wherein:
said on-board circuitry is comprised by a removable module; and
the removable module is selectively engagable with and disengagable with other onboard circuitry.

Claim 9. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 8, further comprising:
activation system access information; and
telephone activation information embedded in said on-board circuitry,
wherein said on-board circuitry is configured for providing said telephone activation information to said activation system in response to said activation system being accessed from the wireless telephone using said activation system access information.

Claim 10. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 9 wherein:
said on-board circuitry includes memory; and
said memory is configured to enable the predetermined amount of calling time.

Claim 11. (Currently Amended) A packaged wireless telephone, comprising:
a wireless telephone including on-board circuitry configured to enable a predetermined amount of calling time;
packaging having the wireless telephone packaged therein;
activation system access information on at least one of a component of the wireless telephone and said packaging wherein said activation system access information is comprised by at least one system scannable code; and
at least one of telephone activation information on said packaging, telephone activation information on documentation within said packaging, telephone activation information on a component of the wireless telephone and telephone activation information embedded in said on-board circuitry wherein said telephone activation information is comprised by at least one system scannable code; said activation information including a telephone number for activating the phone and a human readable code; wherein the wireless telephone may be activated by calling the telephone number on the wireless phone and entering the human readable code; wherein said on-board circuitry is configured for providing said telephone activation information to said activation system in response to said activation system being accessed from the wireless telephone using said activation system access information; wherein activation system then activates the wireless phone; wherein the wireless phone is suited to emergency situations or special use.

Claim 12. (Cancelled)

Claim 13. (Previously Presented) The wireless telephone of claim 11 wherein:
said on-board circuitry is comprised by a removable module; and
the removable module is selectively engagable with and disengagable with other onboard circuitry.

Claim 14. (Cancelled)

Claim 15. (Currently Amended) A method, comprising:

configuring on-board circuitry of a wireless telephone to enable a predetermined amount of calling time;

providing activation system access information including an activation telephone number on at least one of packaging having said on-board circuitry packaged therein, documentation within said packaging, said on-board circuitry and a surface of the wireless telephone by scanning said activation system information from at least one system scannable code;

providing telephone activation information, wherein said telephone activation information includes a human readable code and is at least one of provided on said packaging, provided on said on-board circuitry, provided on a surface of the wireless telephone and embedded in said on-board circuitry ~~by scanning said telephone activation information from at least one system scannable code; and~~

~~enabling~~ registering communication operation of the wireless telephone in response to said activation system receiving said telephone activation information by at least one of calling the activation telephone number on the mobile telephone and providing the human readable code, scanning at least one system scannable code; and

activating the wireless telephone by the activation system, wherein the wireless telephone is then usable to initiate and receive calls.

Claim 16. (Cancelled)

Claim 17. (Cancelled)

Claim 18. (Cancelled)

**Claim 19. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 15 wherein
said on-board circuitry is comprised by a removable module; and
the removable module is selectively engagable with and disengagable with
other onboard circuitry.**

**Claim 20. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 15 further comprising:
configuring said on-board circuitry with said telephone activation
information, wherein said on-board circuitry is thereby capable of
facilitating transmission of said telephone activation information for
reception by said activation system.**